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Invention: STAGE WHEEL



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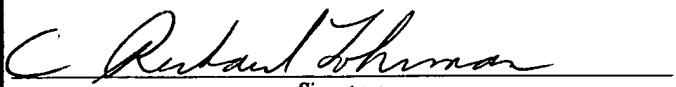
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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated December 10, 2004 regarding the above-identified patent application. Claims 1-16 are pending in the application. Claims 1-11 and 16 are rejected. Claims 12-15 are objected to. New Claims 17-20 have been added.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

The Current Status of the Claims is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks regarding **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 12 of this paper.